North Carolina Department of Environment Quality

Pat McCrory Governor Don Van der Vaart Secretary

September 21, 2015

Mr. Christopher J. Ward, PG ESP Associates, P.A. PO Box 7030 Charlotte, NC 28241

Re: Approval of Work Plan and Cost Proposal **808DP-16**

Confirming Waste Edges for Potential Removal

Falls Dump

2731 Forbes Road, Gastonia, Gaston County, NC

ID# NONCD0000808

Dear Mr. Ward:

The Division of Waste Management, Superfund Section, Pre-Regulatory Landfill Unit has reviewed the *September 11*, 2015 work plan & cost proposal for reporting the Remedial work with Task Order 808DP-16 (confirming waste boundaries for potential removal). Based on that review, the 808DP-16 work plan & the cost proposal in the amount of \$33,695.75 are approved. This letter serves as notification of the approval and as authorization to proceed with activities associated with the work plan.

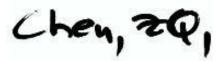
While the total expense on the invoice cannot exceed the amount approved, individual task components within this task approval may vary. Any increase in cost to this scope of work must be approved prior to implementation. A task order addendum must be requested to cover an additional scope of work or unforeseen site circumstances. Notify me immediately and request additional funds to cover eligible and reasonable costs. Cost of additional work conducted without approval will be ineligible for payment.

Please let have your fieldwork date(s) soon, so we can properly notify the property owners of the scheduled work.

Also, please change the title of the Task Order and the Report to "Confirming Waste Edges for Potential Removal". Thanks.

If you have any question, please contact me at (919) 707-8347, or zi-qiang.chen@ncdenr.gov. Thanks!

Sincerely,



Zi-Qiang Chen, PhD, Environmental Engineer II Division of Waste Management, NCDRND